

Troopers Arrest Rehoboth Beach Man for Assault- Rehoboth Beach

Rehoboth Beach- The Delaware State Police have arrested 41-year-old **Tyshi O. Hazzard** of Rehoboth Beach, DE in connection with an assault.

The incident occurred on September 16, 2019, at approximately 3:40 a.m., when Troopers were dispatched to the 37000 block of Burton Village Avenue, Burton Village, for a report of an assault. Upon arrival, Troopers met with a 30-year-old female victim who advised that as she was walking back to her residence from the dumpster area, her ex-boyfriend, Hazzard had approached and attacked her. The victim reported that she was struck by Hazzard several times and strangled.

The victim was transported to a local area hospital with non-life threatening injuries.

Hazzard who is currently on a ban list for the Burton Village Community, fled the scene prior to police arrival. He was located a short time later hiding under a mobile home nearby. Hazzard was taken into custody without further incident and transported back to Troop 7 where he was charged with the following:

- Assault Second Degree
- Strangulation
- Resisting Arrest
- Criminal Trespass Third Degree

Hazzard was arraigned before the Justice of the Peace Court and committed to the Sussex Correctional Institution on \$51001.00 cash only bond.

If you or someone you know is a victim or witness of crime or have lost a loved one to a sudden death and are in need of assistance, the Delaware State Police Victim Services Unit/Delaware Victim Center is available to offer you support and resources 24 hours a day through a toll free hotline 1800 VICTIM-1. (1800 842-8461). You may also email the unit Director at debra.reed@state.de.us.

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